HOTEL FIRE FOUR PEOPLE CREMATED

The Origin of the Conflagration Is Unknown.

MOTEL FILLED WITH

The Silver Queen Hotel in the Sour Lake Oil Field, Texas, Burned Early Tuesday Mornig-Two Men were Fatally Burned.

Houston, Tex., Nov. 9 .- The Silver Queen hotel, in the Soutr Lake oil field, burned early today and four people burned to death.

The dead: C. E. Lewis, Spindle Top.

Lee Hamilton, Spindle Top. Jack Smith and wife, New Hanover,

Probably fatally injured: Jack Sullivan and Ben Tucker, both

of Sour Lake. The hotel was filled with guests. The origin of the fire is unknown.

GIRL REFUSED ESCORT.

Victim of Cincinnati Degenerate Was Tired and Started Home.

Cincinnati, Nov. 9.-Miss Alma Steingeweg, the telephone operator and choir singer who was mistreated and brutally murdered on a street cormer on her way home last Wednesday might, refused the company of her awartheart, saying she was tired and would go home alone.

Joseph Renner, a young business man, called her up by telephone two hours before she started for home, and offered to be her escort, as usual. He is heartbroken now, because their stroll in "Lovers' Lane" was postponed and the girl thereby came to her

death. That the degenerate who murdered Miss Steingoweg also killed Miss Mary McDonald and Miss Lulu Mueller recently at almost the exact spot in Lovers' Lane, an obscure pathway, where Miss Steingeweg's body was found, the police now say they have little reason for doubting. The fatal wounds of all were on the head, crushing the skull at about the same point of the forehead and were inflicted with the same sort of a weapon. In each case there was no other motive, clear-Ir. than crimnial assault or the fiendbut delight of witnessing the deat. struggles of young and handsome vic-

MURDER CHARGED TO FAMILY.

We Half-Brother, Step-Sister and Brothers-in-Law Accused.

Harriord Conn., Nov. 9 .- Six per-Mone were charged with the murder of Edward Preston Sanderson, whose body was found Monday in a gravel pot at the edge of the city with his feet thed together and a stone chainand around his neck, two builet holes through his head and his skull crushed. They are William Cook, Otto Cook, Ernest Sanderson, Samuel Emers. Mrs. Ollie Sanderson and Clara Smith.

Warrants for the arrest of Otto and William Cook and Ernest Sanderson were served in jail, ending th chabeas release. Emory, who has been missang ever since the day the body of Banderson was found, was arrested on a farm and brought here to jail.

LIVE LIKE NABOBS.

Gypsies Travel in Carriage as Fine as a Private Pullman.

have pitched their tents in the Bronx, ed and placed in jail. on the Boston road, near Vyse avenue. Their trappings are of the costliest

Mme. Baker, the leader of the band, boasts of having read the palms of many of the English nobility, including that of the late Queen Victoria. She says she returned to this country (her native land) three weeks ago, after an absence of 40 years, most of which time was spent in Epping Forest, near London She travels in a "Pullman" carriage, a houselike vehicle, 21 feet long and elaborately fitted with every eating and sleeping convenience.

WILD LAND CASE DISMISSED.

Decision Rendered by United States Supreme court,

Washington, Nov. 9 .- In an opinion by Chief Justice Puller the supreme court of the United States dismissed the case of Stevenson v. Fain.

The case grew out of a controversy concerning the ownership of a body of wild lands lying on the border of the states of Tennessee and North the lands lay in Monroe county, Ten-Carolina. Stevenson claimed that the lands lay in Monroe county , Tennessee and asserted title under a grant from that state, while Fain asserted that they were in Cherokee county, North Carolina, and were held under a grant from that state.

The United States circuit court for aget district of Tennessee held the lands lay wholly in North Carta a. The supreme court's dismissal was based on the ground that it is without jurisdiction in the case. MAN PERISHES IN FLAMES.

Tries to Save Wife and Both Are Burned to Death.

New York, Nov. 9.-Joseph Capple, a hotelkeeper, after saving his aged mother and father and three children from his burning hotel, lost his own life in rushing frantically into the flames when he learned that his wife had not escaped.

The bodies of Capple and his wife were found later in the cellar, lying side by side, burned beyond recogni-

His aged father was the first to discover the fire in the hotel. He aroused the son, who, thinking there was time for al lto escape in safety, led first his father and mother by the hand to safety in the yard. When he turned to re-enter the building he found the hall blocked with smoke. He fought through it to an upper room and returned, carrying his youngest child. The other children followed close on his heels.

"Where is my wife?" he cried. "She followed me out. She is not here."

The woman could not be found. Capple became frantic. It appeared certain death to re-enter the burning building, but the neighbors who had gathered about could not hold the husband back. Thinking nothing of his own safety, he dashed through the flames and smoke and disappeared.

In another moment the house became so enveloped in flame that all hope of rescuing him was abandoned.

It is thought that Mrs. Capple, after fleeing on the first alarm, returned to her room to save her valuables. stairway, and it is thought that he cur, but there is no likelihood of started to lead her to the door when them and they were buried under the riving. burning debris in the cellar.

Five minutes after the husband was swallowed up in the fire the house sol-

RACE FIGHT IN COLORADO.

Negro Strike-Breaker Kills Marshal. Lynching Averted.

trouble between imported negro strike- ally advancing their trenches, which breakers and the whites broke out spell inexorable fate to the watching suddenly when City Marshal Hiram Russians. Bates, who had been called to quell he entered the hall.

white man in camp is armed. About hospital supplies insufficient it is adlight. Five negroes are still in the nese victory was ultimately inevitable. camp, being granted permission to stay until they collect their time checks.

The white miners gave Thompson a beating before delivering him to the lery firing was continuous all along sheriff. Threats of lynching had been made, but the cooler heads controlled. this morning. A battle might com-

ELECTION TRAGEDY IN COLORADO tion of many days if not weeks, to de-

Fatally Wounded.

Cripple Creek, Colo., Nov. 9 .- Two the other to attack. Democratic election judges were killed in this district today and a Peabody deputy sheriff was mortally wounded and a number of Democratic judges were beaten and thrown into jail.

Ike Idelbolt and Chris Miller, judges at Goldfield, were shot down by one of Sheriff Bell's deputies. They had ordered the deputy out of the polling place. He refused to go, and turning upon the judges, shot and killed them.

At midday E. Doyle, a deputy sheriff, judge, and in a struggle that ensued, tore her dress and slapped her.

Ed O'Leary, a Democratic watcher, New York, Nov. 9.—The wealthiest interefered, and shot Doyle, fatally provies that ever visited New York wounding him. O'Leary was arrest-

ATLANTA WANTS STATE FAIR.

Discuss Movement.

under auspices of the Georgia Agricultural society will probably be held in Atlanta. Assurances that Atlanta has a chance to succeed in an effort to obtain the fair have come from those who are interested in it, and prominent men of this city have not only of the Santa Fe. made that effort, but also are going to exert all their energies to secure in making it.

The meeting at which this was decided was held in the assembly room of the Piedmont hotel upon the invitation of George W. Parrott, who has for some time been interested in the in America, is gradually growing highmatter of securing the next state fair for Atlanta, and who last evening read the correspondence between himself remarking that both parties have and Hon. Dudley Hughes, of the State Agricultural society. In this correspondence Mr. Hughes requested Mr. Parrott to take some action regarding

As a result Mr. Parrott assembled distinct ascent to a higher platform. about 50 business men, and these men last night not only voted unanimously in favor of inviting the next state fair to Atlanta, but also authorizing Mr. Parrott, Alderman James G. Woodward Frank Weldon and W. G. Cooper to appoint a committee of seven men to take up with Mr. Hughes and other members of the Georgia Agricultural society the question of holding the next meeting of the state fair in this

JAPANESE WARSHIP SUNK BY A MINE

Port Arthur Still Holding Out Against the Enemy.

ARMIES STRENGTHENING LINES

Much Suffering Is Reported at Port Arthur on Account of Lack of Food, Medicines, Etc .- Japanese Victory Is the Inevitable Recuit.

Shanghai, Nov. 9.—It is received in British naval circles, that a Japanese man-of-war has been sunk by a mine off Port Arthur.

Japs Still Besieging Port Arthur. Tokio, Nov. 9.—Official reports from Port Arthur since Saturday's report of the progress made by the besieged indicates that the Japanese operations are proceeding satisfactorily there, although slowly. Limestone formations and rocky ground interfere with the sapping. It is now considered that the character of Rihlung mountain and East Keekwan mountain without Entse and Etse mountains is not sufficient to force the Russians to abandon the city proper.

Reports from the Shakhe river say both armies are strengthening their positions and otherwise busy preparing for another great battle .

The scouts are constantly in touch

The husband was seen rushing up the and frequent outpost skirmishes ocmust have found her in her room and general engagement for the present. winter. Reinforcements of Russian troops, the burned floors gave way beneath guns and supplies are constantly ar-

Suffering in Beleaguered City. Che Foo. Nov. 8 .- 5:30 p. m .- The Japanese besieging Port Arthur, ignoring Lieutenant General Stoessel, th ecommander of the Russian military forces there, have offered terms of surrender to the Russian troops, according to advices leaving Port Dalny Canyon City, Colo., Nov. 9 .- At Coai yesterday. In the meanwhile the Creek, a coal mining camp of the Col. ceaseless activity of picks and spades orado Fuel and Iron company, rave continues. The Japanese are gradu-

A Russian prisoner captured Oct. a fight at a negro dance, was shot 26 said the troops composing the gardead by Grant Thompson, a negro, as rison of Port Arthur were in want and dispaired. They saw the fruitlessness White citizens organized a posse of the struggle. Hopeless of relief, and caught Thompson. Nearly every with food scarce and medicine and 40 negroes left the county before day. mitted by the Russians that a Japa-

Artillery Firing Continuously

Mukden, via Pekin, Nov. 9 .- Artilthe lines on Monday and intermittent mence at any hour. It will be a quescide the position, which is the most Three Killed and Several More Are interesting since the commencement of the war. Each side is waiting for

> Russians Arrive at Shanghai. Shanghai, Nov. 9.-The officers and crew of the Russian torpedo boat de stroyer Ryeshitelni, which the Japanese cut out of the harbor at Che Foo, on Aug. 12, have arriver here on the Manjur, with the exception of the commander, who escaped at Woo Sung. He is probably now homeward bond on a German mail steamer.

assaulted Mrs. Kennedy, a Democratic RAILROAD GETS VALUABLE LAND

Southern Pacific Is Awarded an 18 Mile Right of Way.

Phoenix, Ariz., Nov. 9.-The best known pass through the Rocky mountain system has been awarded to the Southern Pacific railroad by Judge

The judgment gives the Southers Citizens Meet at Piedmont Hotel to Pacific the contested right of way for 18 miles between Kelvin and Dud-Atlanta, Nov. 9.—The next stat efair ley, along the Gila river, immediately below a narrow box canyon, where not more than one road can find its way through. The decision was based mainly upon the fact that the Southers Pacific had filed its maps in the Tuo son land office two hours before those

Political Plane Growing Higher.

New York, Nov. 9 .- Sir Wemyst Reid, chairman of the Reform club of London, the largest political organization in England, who is now in this city, believes the political plane er. A life-time observer of American politics, he said, I cannot heip reached a much higher standard in their campaign than ever before. Abroad I might say your politics have not always been regarded on the highest level obtainable. But there is a

Runaway Team Kills Man. Anniston, Ala., Nov. 8 .- The death of Fayette Adams occurred in a singular manner. He was hauling lumber from Lee's mill to Oxford, and on his return with an empty wagon the mules became frightened when near the saw mill and ran away. Mr.

Adams was thrown violent to the ground and his neck was broken by the fall.

THE BALTIC SEA FLEET

W. E. Curtis Tells of Dangers Besetting Russia's Squadron.

CREWS GREEN; ENEMY WATCHFUL

Japanese Torpedo Boats Lying Off African Coast, It Is Believed-Weak Points of the Armada, Built at Enormous Cost, and Problems of the Long Voyage.

The Baltic fleet, which the Russian government has been working so hard upon ever since the beginning of the war and which started its long voyage by firing on British fishing boats in the North sea, has been delayed for months by the discovery of defects in the vessels, by the necessity of training the crews and by accidents which are always occurring on new and untried ships, says William E. Curtis, the special correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald at Washington. Naval experts consider it an exceedingly risky thing, merely from a mechanical standpoint alone, to start this great fleet on so long a cruise, because no harbor of refuge is open to it, and it has no place to go when it gets to the far east. By the middle of November Vladivostok, Russia's only harbor in the east, will be frozen up, and even if the fleet should reach there safely not a ship could enter before next May. It is too late to rescue Port Arthur. Under the most favorable circumstances, without accident or detention, it would take at to fight their way through. least sixty days for the fleet to get there, and that would be nearly mid-nese will let the Baltic fleet come very

more than half are entirely new. They have been constructed and fitted out in great haste, and many defects are to be expected. Furthermore, the crews the engineers and machinists are untried, and very few, if any, of the men on board have ever participated in a battle, although, as has been demonstrated in every emergency, the sailors and soldiers are both great fighters.

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1	Dmitri Donskoi 6,200 18	83			
	Admiral Nakimov 8,524 18				
1	PROTECTED CRUISERS, FIRST CLASS.				
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	Oleg 6,675 19	03			
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Hospital ship Orel. REPAIR SHIPS. Kamchatka, Ocean. COLLIERS.

Korea, Kitai, Kniaz, Gorcha, Kov. This is one of the largest fleets that ever went to sea and one of the most powerful. It is commanded by three rear admirals-Rojestvensky, Falkersen and Enkoist-and an enormous amount of money has been expended in its construction, armament and equipment. The money value of the fleet is of itself very large. Some idea of its cost may be obtained from the following table:

Seven battleships, \$6,500,000 each..\$45,500,000 Two armored cruisers, \$5,000,000 each 10,000,000 Six protected cruisers, averaging \$2,500,000 each...... 15,000,000 Twelve destroyers, \$250,000 each... 3,000,000 Nine auxiliary cruisers, averaging \$1,000,000 each...... 9,000,000 Two repair ships, \$500,000 each.... 1,000,000 Three collers, \$500,000 each...... 1,500,000 Hospital ship...... 750,000 Total\$85,750,000

It will cost in the neighborhood of \$600,000 for coal to send the Baltic fleet around to Fort Arthur. Under the most favorable circumstances the seven battleships will need at least 30,000 tons, was one of the most elaborate table the cruisers 20,000 tons, the auxiliaries 40,000 tons, the repair and hospital ships 4,000 tons each, the twelve destroyers 500 tons each, or a total of from 105,000 to 110,000 tons, and it is a very serious problem to provide this fuel. It must be remembered that no essary for the fleet to carry its own supply. Every ship started out with full bunkers, which will be sufficient to take them to some point on the north African coast, where they can find plenty of secluded bays and inlets in which they can coal from the colliers. The second supply will carry them through the Red sea, and they will have to find some safe place down there to renew the supplies. Then they can go to Sumatra and there take enough to carry them to the Philippines, where they can find plenty of harbors that are safe from storm, but are scarcely safe from the Japanese fleet. From that time on it will be a

matter of fighting. relays will have to be sent at frequent | husband.

Intervals to overtake or meet the fleet. It will be necessary to have at least ten colliers for this service, for besides what the fleet itself can carry not less than 50,000 tons of coal will be needed, and the ordinary collier cannot carry more than 5,000 tons. Then when the fleet reaches the scene of war it must have plenty of fuel handy

or it will be helpless. A large number of Japanese torpedo boats and destroyers have disappeared, and nobody knows what has become of them. It is suspected that they may be lying off the coast of Africa somewhere waiting for the Russians to come down that way. It would be easy for the Japanese to follow the Russians with a mosquito fleet, not only for the purpose of watching their movements and keeping the authorities at Tokyo informed as to their whereabouts, but to fire an occasional torpedo or drop a floating mine in their

It is the popular opinion that Admiral Rojestvensky will spend the winter cruising about on tropical waters trying his ships, training his men and getting everything ready for a resumption of hostilities in the spring. But, wherever he goes and whatever he does, it will be always necessary to look out for the enemy. Such deliberate cruising is considered absolutely necessary to put the fleet in shape for battle, because the ships would scarcely be in fighting trim if they were to make a quick voyage direct to the scene of hostilities. The Russians have no Oregons or men like Captain Clark and his crew, and after 15,000 or 18,000 miles of cruising all the vessels in the fleet will require a good deal of overhauling even if they are not compelled

It is scarcely probable that the Japanear the Yellow sea. It is doubtful if Of the thirty-seven ships in the fleet they allow the Russians to even enter the Pacific without a battle. They will know every movement. Every step of the Baltic fleet will be reported. and within a few weeks, when the cold are green and inexperienced. Most of weather sets in, most of the Japanese ships may be released from the blockade of Port Arthur and will be free to cruise southward in search of the enemy. The following is a list of vessels in the Japanese navy available for that

Battleships.-Mikasa, Asahi, Shikishima, Yashima, Fuji, Chin Yen. Armored Cruisers .- Adsuma, Yakumo, Iwate, Idsumo, Tokiwa, Asama, Kasaga,

Protected Cruisers. - Kasagi, Chitose, Itsukushima, Hashidate, Matsushima, Takasago, Naniwa, Takashiho, Akitshushima, Idsumi, Akashi, Suma, Chiyoda, Niitaka, Tsushima. Unprotected Cruisers.-Yayayama, Ta-

kao, Tenriu, Katsuragi, Yamato, Musashi, Torpedo Boat Destroyers.-Shirakumo, Asashio, Harusame, Murasame, Akatsuki, Kasumi, Ikatsuchi, Inadsuma, Akebono, Sazanami, Oboro, Shinnonome, Murakumo, Yugiri, Shiranui, Kagero, Usugumo,

Asagiri, Hayatori, Ryeshetelni. The Russian fleet at Port Arthur can give the ships of Admiral Rojestvenky no assistance. The Gromoboi and the Rossia, which made so much trouble and did so much damage for a little while, are now not only hors du combat, but are frozen up in the harbor of Vladivostok.

MINING LAND ON A TABLE.

Many Square Miles Reproduced as Centerpiece at a Dinner.

The east room of the Waldorf-Astoria hotel in New York was decorated the other night to represent the principal features, topographical and industrial, of several hundred square miles of British Columbia mining country, says the New York Tribune. The occasion was a dinner to the officers and principal stockholders of a Boston and Montreal mining company, who recently returned from a visit to the company's properties. A few days ago the managers of the

company brought Manager Barse of the Waldorf a set of photographs of the country about Boundary falls. They said they wanted something new in the way of a centerpiece for the company's annual dinner. Oscar Tschirky, the chef of the hotel, put his artists at work, and the result was a faithful reproduction of the entire mining district. The mines, half hidden in forests of evergreens, were faithfully reproduced. The big smelters of the company, with piles of ore, were smoking in their relative positions, and the narrow gauge railroad by which the officers had reached the mines was reproduced. The ore was actually taken from the mines. The British flag and that of the Dominion were flying in various places, and no detail was Dry Siding, Flooring and Ceiling. too small to be faithfully worked out. The mining camp was reproduced even to the signs on the toy saloons and restaurants and the Northwest mounted policemen patrolling the streets. It decorations ever worked out at any ho-

Smart Waistcoats For Men. I notice a fashion among the ultra smart, well dressed men, who have their white waistcoats for evening OCALA. coaling stations are open, and it is nec- dress cut very low, right to the bottom of the shirt front, and then fastened with two buttons, which are generally jeweled, the ends of the waistcoats coming in long points, says the London correspondent of the New York Herald. The rolled revers of the waistcoats are not ironed flat back, but form quite a turnover in the old fashioned style worn by Count d'Orsay. Of course the vest demands perfect cutting and perfect washing, and then the effect is extremely smart. There is a tendency, too, toward the use of two studs instead of one.

Widowhood In Korea. Widows in Korea never remarry, no matter how young they may be. Even The two colliers in the list can carry | though they had been married only a scarcely enough for one coaling, and month, they may not take a second

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